

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2013**  
**Raised S.B. No. 1148**

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**Introducer(s):**

Government Administration and Elections Committee

**Title:** AN ACT REDEFINING "MEETING" FOR PURPOSES OF THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT.

**Statement of Purpose:** To exempt certain negotiations between the leaders of political parties from being considered a meeting for purposes of the Freedom of Information Act.

**Bill History:**

03/19/13 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Government Administration and Elections Committee  
03/21/13 PUBLIC HEARING 03/25  
04/05/13 JOINT FAVORABLE  
04/08/13 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
04/18/13 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 04/23/13-5:00 PM  
04/24/13 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
04/24/13 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE  
04/24/13 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 447  
04/24/13 FILE NUMBER 615  
05/01/13 SENATE RECOMMITTED TO Government Administration and Elections Committee

**Co-sponsor(s):**

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